

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace paragraph [0001] with the following amended paragraph:

[0001] This is a national phase application of International Application PCT/GB04/000513, filed February 9, 2004. The present invention relates to a system architecture and engine for a massively multi-user application with which it is capable of performing an application involving users at remote locations by using a network such as internet or satellite cellphone network, and an application server capable of executing the application, the method for massively multi-user application, a user terminal, therefor, data files comprising data and statistics generated from the application, and a machine readable medium comprising software therefor including a storage medium storing an application program capable of executing the application method. More particularly the invention relates to a distributed operating architecture and system.